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SUBJECT: UNHCR APPEAL FOR SAHARAN REFUGEES IN ALGERIA

REF: (A) ROME 9096 NOTAL; (B) STATE 127475 NOTAL;
(C) GENEVA 4402 NOTAL

1. DEPARTMENT CONSIDERING WAYS OF RESPONDING TO UNHCR
APPEAL TO AID SAHARAN REFUGEES. INCLUDING CONTRIBUTION OF
FOOD THROUGH WFP. HOWEVER, WHEN WE CONSULTED WITH WFP WE
LEARNED THAT WFP HAD ALREADY RESPONDED TO UNHCR APPEAL
WITH \$942,000 IN FOOD, MOSTLY WHEAT FLOUR. THIS
CONTRIBUTION, MADE IN DECEMBER, HAS NOT YET BEEN SHIPPED
WE UNDERSTAND THIS DUE TO ABSENCE OF SIGNATURE BY
GOVERNMENT OF ALGERIA OF LETTER OF READINESS. WFP INFORMAL-
LY INDICATED DOUBT THAT OUR PROPOSED CONTRIBUTION WOULD
BE OF USE IN VIEW OF LACK OF ACTION ON PART OF GOA.

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DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE SOUNDING OF UNHCR ON REASON
FOR DELAY.

2. WFP ALSO INDICATED INFORMALLY THAT REFUGEES DO NOT EAT
RICE. HOWEVER UNHCR SHOWS RICE AS DESIRED COMMODITY
AS OF MAY 12. WOULD APPRECIATE UNHCR COMMENTS ON THIS
SUGGESTION. CHRISTOPHER

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